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For : ***DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CYTOLOGY SLIDE
PREPARATION***

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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Confirmation No. 5226) mailed May 17, 2001, applicants enclose herewith formal drawings in the above identified application to replace the informal drawings filed on April 4, 2001 in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.84.

Also enclosed is Part 2 of FORM PTO-1533 and a check in the amount of one hundred thirty dollars (\$130.00) to cover the surcharge for filing the substitute drawings. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in fee to Deposit Account 13-4500, Order 2629-4016US1. **A DUPLICATE OF THIS SHEET IS INCLUDED.**

Respectfully submitted,
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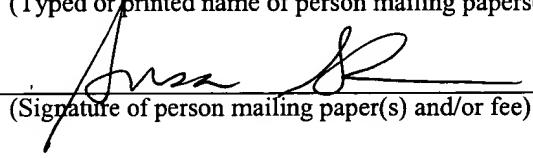
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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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